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		2002/0168566 A1	11-2002	Ohtsuka et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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							YES	NO
		2002-141056	2002	Japan				✓

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